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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Karnataka State Sericulture Research and Development Institute (KSSRDI) has decided to set up a Nationa Sericulture Museum and Documentation Centre;

(b) if so, whether the KSSRDI has also planned to organise an international seminar on sericulture in Bangalore;

(c) whether there is a lot of interest about sericulture in foreign countries like Zimbabwe and other African nations and seminar would provide them a good chance to interact with India`s experts and farmers; and

(d) if so, the manner in which the Union Government have helped in improving the sericulture activities?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) An International Seminar is contemplated to be organized during 2004-05 as a part of Silver Jubilee Celebrations of the Karnataka State Sericulture Research and Development Institute (KSSRDI).

(c) Joint collaborative Research Development and Training on Sericulture with Zimbabwe and other African nations can be extended by utilizing the expertise and facilities available at Karnataka State Sericulture Research and Development Institute (KSSRDI).

(d) So far no proposal has been received because the proposed Seminar is in 2004-05.